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Komatsu Hiroshi

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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Box Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

In the Claims

Please add the following claims:

-- 28. A liquid crystal display device comprising:

a first substrate;

a first alignment layer on the first substrate;

a second substrate;

a second alignment layer on the second substrate;

a liquid crystal layer between the first substrate and the second substrate;

a gate line on the first substrate; and

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